

September 17, 2019

The Honorable Jocelyn D. Boyd
Chief Clerk/Administrator
Public Service Commission of
South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: South Carolina Energy Freedom Act (H.3659) Proceeding to
Establish Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Standard Offer et al.
Docket No. 2019-186-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Attached for filing on behalf of South Carolina Solar Business Alliance, Inc. is the Direct Testimony and Exhibits of Steven J. Levitas. Mr. Levitas' testimony and exhibits were originally submitted to the Commission for filing on September 11, 2019 in Docket No. 2019-185-E.

Due to an oversight by undersigned counsel, Mr. Levitas' testimony and exhibits were not also submitted for filing in this docket (2019-186-E). This oversight was brought to our attention late yesterday afternoon and the testimony and exhibits are being submitted for filing now to address that issue. We respectfully request that the Commission accept the testimony and exhibits of Mr. Levitas in this docket despite the fact that they are technically being submitted after the deadline for direct testimony on behalf of intervening parties.

Other than the captions, the direct testimony and exhibits for Mr. Levitas in Dockets 2019-185-E and 2019-186-E are identical. Additionally, Mr. Levitas' testimony refers to "Duke" throughout and was electronically served on all parties in Docket No. 2019-185-E on the evening of September 11, 2019. As such, no party will be prejudiced by accepting Mr. Levitas' testimony and exhibits out of time in this docket as they have had access to them since September 11.

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If there are any questions or concerns regarding this request, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Jeremy C. Hodges

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